

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Williams et al.

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CONDUCTIVE STRUCTURES FOR
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE
COMPONENTS AND METHODS FOR
FABRICATING SAME

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Examiner: J. Mitchell

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AMENDMENT

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This Amendment follows the Office Action of March 21, 2008, the shortened statutory period for response to which expires on Monday, June 23, 2008, since June 21, 2008, fell on a Saturday. 37 C.F.R. § 1.7.

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